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Michigan's mitt—that seven-county section of the Lower Peninsula known as the Thumb—is a land of many surprises.

You don't know your Michigan until you get acquainted with the Thumb-land. Here's why. It is rich in agriculture. Huron, Sanilac and Tuscola top the list with annual incomes to farmers varying from \$19,777,000 to \$17,800,000. Huron is the first in beans, 71,800 acres in 1945. Sanilac rates high in dairy cattle producing more than \$89,999,000 pounds of milk last year, 90 percent of which was distributed through the Michigan Milk Producers' Association. Sanilac has more than 40,000 cows—40 percent more than any other county in Michigan. Tuscola, too, is well known as an ace farm county.

It is a vacationland of blue water, blue skies and sandy beaches. Around the Thumb shore line from Algonac to Bay City is a scenic highway with a view of Lake Huron most of the way. From Algonac to Port Huron the drive follows the St. Clair River in sight of the one boat. North of Port Huron in the Thumb peninsula, the road visits lake resorts in constant succession.

Going northward from Algonac—here is the Thumb parade of interesting places. Algonac is a motorboat capital of the world, the home of such men as Chris Smith and Garfield "Gus" Wood. Everyone has heard of Chris-Craft. They're made in Michigan at Algonac. And are the Gar Wood line of racing and pleasure boats. There is a state park here, now being improved by the state to include new roads, picnic tables, stoves, electric toilets, a water supply, landing and playground equipment.

Marine City has a narrow tongue of land along the St. Clair and Belle rivers, known as Cathoic Point. It was purchased in 1824, by Father Gabriel Richard, and is now the site of a Gothic structure, the Holy Roman Catholic church. National championship outdoor races will be conducted here August 9-11.

St. Clair is the home of the world's largest salt plant. In 1763 the British erected Fort Sinclair here. When you visit the town, be sure to stop at the St. Clair Inn, an English style hotel of unusual merit.

Port Huron, an industrial and shopping center, is blessed with miles of sandy beach along Lake Huron. Here is the international Blue Water bridge to Canada, affording a short-cut for motorists bound for Buffalo and Niagara Falls. Across the St. Clair River is the Canadian town of Sarnia. Thomas A. Edison conducted his first experiments in electricity while spending his boyhood days here. The centennial of Edison's birth will be observed next year in Port Huron.

The annual sailboat classic, the Mackinac race, begins at Port Huron, which has the Black River as its best harbor. In 1945 the worst storm in history hit the fleet and only six of the starters were able to finish.

Continuing northward the traveler visits Lakeport and Lexington, tourist centers. Port Sanilac, just due east of Carsonville and Sandusky, as once known as Bark Shanty Point in 1844. During the middle nineteenth century it was well known for the Bark Shanty Times, only daily newspaper in Michigan without reporters or an editorial staff, printers, presses, deadlines or wire services. This unique publication, originated by the postmaster-storekeeper, consisted of large sheets of newspaper paper placed on the store counters. Contributors wrote what they pleased. Copies were bound in volumes.

Harbor Beach in Huron County is the birthplace of Associate Justice Frank Murphy of the United States Supreme Court. It is a summer resort and fishing center. During the era of wildcat banks promoters made counterfeit United States currency and Mexican dollars here. The Harbor Beach community house is unusual; it houses a modern theatre.

Just south of Harbor Beach is Michigan's most renowned "phantom city." White Rock, back in 1835 and 1836, was depicted to land buyers as a prosperous city with court house, bank and other buildings overlooking a magnificent harbor. Lots were sold to hundreds. White Rock was a city that never was.

Port Hope marks a rocky point on the lake. Swinging around the tip of the Thumb you come to Huron City, for years the summer home of

DIRECT FROM BIKINI:

An Eye Witness Account Of Atomic Bomb Blast



Damage from the atomic bomb test blast is shown here as the light carrier USS Independence is pictured burning shortly after bomb explosion.

By WALTER A. SHEAR
WNP Washington Correspondent

ABOARD USS APPALACHIAN, OPERATIONS CROSSROADS—From a military standpoint the explosion of the fourth atomic bomb was a huge success but as a spectacle worth traveling 8,000 miles to see it did not live up to its advance billing. From the standpoint of efficiency and precision the plutonium bomb was dropped squarely in the target area. The advance weather predictions held true. It was dropped on time to the second. The air dromes were sent through the cloud area and shepherded back by their mother ships. The boat dromes were sent into the area of radio activity and brought back by radio control. The cameras clicked and the instruments built especially to measure the results of the blast worked.

But to those of us here aboard the Appalachian, who had been entertained and lectured day after day for the past two weeks, who had interviewed scientists and scientific writers, the bomb burst and the atomic cloud were a disappointment.

The recapitulation of the damage showed the troop transports Gilliam and Carlisle sunk; the destroyer Lamson capsized; heavy damage was done to the submarine Skate, the light cruiser Pensacola, the carrier Independence, the Japanese cruiser Sakawa, and the German pocket battleship Prinz Eugen. Light to negligible damage was caused on the Japanese battleship Nagato, the battleship Nevada, the other No. 100 and No. 101. Small fires were started and later extinguished on the destroyer Wilson, the Pensacola, the transport Briscoe, the Nevada, the carrier Saratoga and transports Niagara, Bladen, Banta, Butte, Cortland, Bracken and Faun and the battleship New York. Heaviest damage was caused on the Independence and the fire which burst into flames on her stern was more dramatic to watch than the bomb burst insofar as this writer was concerned.

Because the atomic cloud did not reach the heights achieved in previous drops was not considered as reflection upon the efficiency of the bomb. Reasons for the relatively low cloud given were that water absorbed much of the heat energy and the difference in atmospheric structure caused a slower rise.

It may be that those of us who stood along the starboard rail of the Appalachian were expecting too much. We had been led to believe from many sources to expect drama and adventure and excitement. Let me assure you there was no drama and certainly no excitement. I confess that as I pulled the polarized plastic goggles over my eyes as we heard the signal "bomb away" I did feel excited and tense as I awaited the blast. It came as I saw it, well above the horizon, a huge orange ball. It might have been a fireworks display on the Fourth of July, although not near so dazzling. I watched the cloud appearing like nothing more than a huge cherry ice cream soda. Cream white on the surface but deep inside the hues were pink and rose, and it boiled and seethed up through a cumulus natural cloud which hid it from our view. I felt a slight "puff" in my ears but felt no heat blast. Seconds later the sound of detonation came like a distant peal or roll of thunder that's all, but then we were 18 miles away.

Ten minutes after the blast the cloud had mushroomed up to a height of 26,000 feet and was approximately 12,000 feet across the

top. The trade winds soon broke it up and it was pushed westward where it gradually leveled off and dispersed as our ship steamed slowly along the seaward side of Bikini Island.

We could see the ghost fleet in the lagoon through our binoculars. Fire amidships showed on the Saratoga. The Salt Lake City was ablaze. There appeared to be a small fire aboard the Nevada. These fires made a smoke haze over the lagoon, but it soon cleared away and as I look toward the lagoon now there is little indication of a fire anywhere.

We are changing course now, following the Mt. McKinley. Admiral Blandy's flagship, apparently with the intention of entering the lagoon. Television receiving sets in the ward room of the Appalachian registered the blast from cameras installed on the island, then they went out of commission.

The carrier Independence likely suffered more damage than any other capital ship to its superstructure and all planes which were atop its flight deck were carried away. There was superficial or superficial damage to other ships of the 73 in the target fleet but to me the pathos of the thing was emphasized when I saw the sturdy masts of the old Nevada brilliant in its orange paint, standing there still staunch and true despite the atomic bomb.

There was no wind, no waves and no thunderstorm. No trees were damaged on the island. There was no tidal wave and no earthquake. In fact there was no prediction from the navy or army officials that any of these things might happen. The navy frankly said they didn't know what would happen. These wild predictions were made by scientists or scientific writers. Also, in all fairness to the officers of joint task force No. 1, the bomb, which looked so small to the lay writers, may actually have been big.

Scientifically of course there can be no adequate judgment of the results until the instruments have been read, the damage on the various ships actually determined and measured. In the light of the objectives, the navy and the army had in mind the actual effect of the bomb on naval construction, navy and army material, armament, ordnance and other equipment.

Admiral Blandy, commander of the task force, issued a statement in which he said he was highly pleased with the whole operation; with the bomb drop and with the efficiency of the bomb. There are several aboard the ship who saw the Nagasaki bomb drop and the drop at Los Alamos, N. M. They declared this bomb appeared to be smaller, judging from the dash and the atomic cloud which in the case of Nagasaki soared to a height of about 55,000 feet.

There is no doubt that the force of this terrible energy is like nothing ever known on earth before but the distances out here are so great that the energy was dispersed and dissipated over a vast area. For instance, at Nagasaki the area of total bomb damage was in six square miles, or an area of about a mile and a half radius, while the distance of the Nevada from the shore of Bikini lagoon was about three miles. And the lagoon itself is 10 miles across and 25 miles long. It must also be remembered that as this story is written for transmission in time to get it to you there has been no actual assessment of the real damage. There may be more as we enter the lagoon and can visually assay the damage.

Defeat Roscommon; Lose To Atlanta

The Grayling baseball club split in two games over the 4th of July week-end, defeating Roscommon there July 4 in an exhibition game, and losing to Atlanta in a league game here on Sunday.

The holiday game with Roscommon went 12 innings before Grayling downed the league leaders, 7 to 6. Bob Gildner was the winning pitcher.

The Sunday game with Atlanta was a pitcher's battle all the way with Larry Manier of Atlanta allowing only 3 hits to the locals as the Atlanta club won by a 4 to 1 score. Grayling's lone score came as a result of Ross Thompson's double. After clotting the two-bagger, he stole third and came on in with the run on an overthrow.

The local ball field has been greatly improved by the club plowing their game earnings back into the park. New dugouts have been added and posts have been installed all around the diamond. The work was done by Joe Gildner, Bob Gildner, Ed Chalkner, Ross Thompson, Don Smock and Lew Stillwagon.

A meeting of League managers has been called at the Grayling High School for July 22 at 8:00 o'clock. Besides routine business, two protested games must be settled. The contests which have been protested are the Grayling-Atlanta and Lewiston-Comins games. All interested persons are invited to attend as well as the club managers.

Following are league standings Standings in Central Michigan Baseball League (July 8, 1946)

	W	L	Pct
Roscommon	5	0	1.000
Atlanta	5	2	.714
Grayling	4	2	.667
Gaylord	3	2	.600
Fairview	2	3	.400
Comins	1	4	.200
Lewiston	1	5	.166

More State Troops Arrive At Camp

The first large contingent of Michigan State Troops arrived at Camp Grayling Monday of this week for a 12-day training program. This is the fourth consecutive summer that the State Troops have used the Camp at Lake Margrethe for training maneuvers.

The troops are largely from Detroit and Lansing. A few troops are from Pontiac, East Lansing and some from Charlotte and Detroit suburban cities. Included in the roster now attending camp are the Divisional Headquarters, Divisional Headquarters, 1st Signal Company and State Detachment, all from Lansing; Chemical Company from Royal Oak; 1st Quartermaster Battalion, 3 companies from Detroit; 1st Engineer Battalion from the Upper Peninsula; 2nd Military Police Battalion from the Headquarters Band and Company D from the 1st Regiment; 2nd and 3rd Battalions from the Detroit area.

The 12-day training program for the visiting State Troop detachments is, as last summer, under the direction of Major General Thomas Colladay.

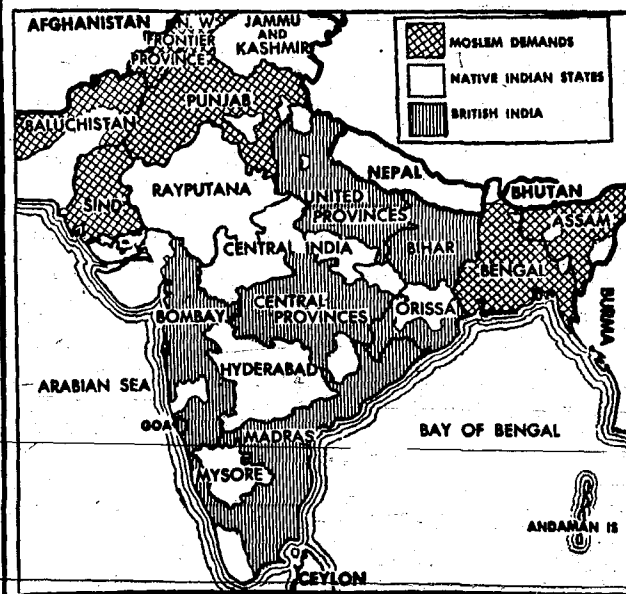
Failing-Calkins Vows Spoken Sunday

On Thursday, July 4th, Miss Margaret Failing, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. Failing, became the bride of Raymond Calkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Calkins, of Clare, Michigan.

The ceremony was held in the Michigan Memorial Church at 10:30 in the morning. Rev. R. C. Puffer officiating, using the double ring ceremony.

The bride was very lovely attired in a tan gabardine suit and white accessories. Her carriage was white carnations and red roses. Miss Betty Jean Failing, as bridesmaid, chose a green suit and white accessories for her sister's wedding. She wore a corsage of white carnations. John Failing, brother of the bride, served as best man.

The bride is a graduate of the Grayling High School in the class of 1943. The groom is recently returned from five years' service in the Army Air Corps.



DIVIDED INDIA - UNITED ON FREEDOM . . . Although the word "India" bespeaks of one country and thereby infers a certain contiguity of territory, the fabulous land is actually in a strange political position with islands within which are in reality little nations in their own right. In the north are the Moslem provinces and scattered throughout (parallel lines) are the All-India party strongholds in the British holdings. Both All-India party representatives and Moslem league men, normally at odds, attended the conference.

HOLD SERVICES FOR MRS. MABEL SKINNER

Services will be held at the Michelson Memorial Church today (Thursday) at 2:00 p m for Mrs. Mabel Skinner who passed away at her home Tuesday morning.

LOVELLS NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Elle and son Henry of Flint spent a few days recently with the former's sister, Mrs. F. Carroll.

The Don Hurrels and son Gene of Findlay, Ohio, are at Shupac Lake for a week's stay.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Fox and guests, the Andy Findeels, left Sunday for their homes in Detroit after spending the holiday and week-end at "The Three Foxes".

The Art Walters and daughter Patsy of Chesaning are at their cabin on Shupac Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Fanning and new son have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roy Scott.

Mr. Gilliam with a party of three friends from Akron, Ohio, are at the Douglas Hotel for a two-weeks stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lake of Flint spent the Fourth with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gardoppe.

Tommy Thompson is spending a few days with the Leiboldts at their home in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Gorman from Cleveland are guests at Douglas Hotel.

Roy Scott and wife were visitors of friends and relatives in West Branch, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Quentin Ewart with their guests returned to Grand Lodge, Sunday, after a pleasant week-end at their cabin on beautiful Shupac.

Dr. Shannon is enjoying a stay at his summer home. The Bud Long family are up at their cabin vacationing from the heat of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Bango and Mr. and Mrs. Art Crowe, who have been visiting the latter's home, have returned to Detroit.

To Offer State Lands At Auction

Pressure of the housing shortage is evident in applications for state lands to be auctioned July 29 - August 3, when 600 platted lots and 9,228 acres in 31 counties will be available.

Many of these lots have been withheld from sale by the Conservation Department since 1940, on recommendations of municipalities because of their remoteness from utilities such as electricity, gas, sewerage and water supply. Increased demand for building lots has returned them, with municipal approval to the market. Some applicants want the lots for gardens.

The auctions will be the first regular land sales since January. Acreage offered varies from 14 acres in Midland County to 1,180 acres in Kalamazoo County. It is a part of the 800,000 acres of state-owned land outside dedicated state game, park and forest areas, and county land use planning committees have concurred in all acreage offerings. Former owners of tax-reverted property may recover ownership of parcels sold by meeting the high bid, with cash, within 30 days.

Sales begin July 29 at Gladwin for lots and acreage in Clare, Isabella, Arenac, Midland and Gladwin counties; and continue at West Branch July 30 for Roscommon, Crawford, Alcona, Rosco, and Ogemaw counties; at Cheboygan July 31 for Alpena, Presque Isle, Cheboygan, and Montmorency counties; at Petoskey August 1 for Otsego, Charlevoix and Emmet counties; at Traverse City August 2 for Missaukee, Kalamazoo, Antrim, Benzie, Grand Traverse and Leelanau counties; and at Baldwin August 3 for Manistee, Wexford, Oshtemo, Mecosta, Newaygo, Oceana, Mason and Lake counties.

Bay City Wedding Of Interest Here

Mrs. Thomas Cassidy attended the wedding recently of her granddaughter, Patricia May Hewitt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hewitt of Bay City, and Bernard Cook of Kawkawlin, Michigan.

The wedding took place at St. James Church in Bay City. A nuptial high mass was read at 9:00. The bride wore an aqua suit and white accessories, and a red rose corsage. She carried a white rosary and prayer book.

Twenty-five relatives enjoyed a wedding breakfast immediately following the ceremony. Peonies and gladioluses helped make a pleasant setting. A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents from two to four in the afternoon. The couple spent their honeymoon in North Michigan and are at home to their friends in Bay City.

Frederic News

Frank Leng was taken to Traverse City last week for treatment.

C. S. Barber made a trip to Standish to get his car.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Barber arrived home from Pontiac, bringing their daughter, Mrs. Esther Downer, and husband home with much improved.

Mrs. E. Flagg entertained her son, Lewis Butler, wife and family, also Mr. and Mrs. Gardage of Detroit, over the Fourth and week-end.

ELECT DAN BABBITT TO SCHOOL BOARD

Dan C. Babbitt was unanimously elected to fill the expiring term of George Schable on the Grayling School Board last Monday night at the annual school meeting.

About 50 persons were present at the meeting, which, on a motion, was moved from the assembly room to the front lawn of the building because of the warmth in the building.

The meeting was opened by Pres. Emil Giegling, who called upon Secretary Roy Milnes to read the official call of the meeting, the minutes of last year's annual meeting and the year's financial statement, all of which, along with next year's proposed budget was accepted as read.

Total income for the last school year was \$53,277.41 according to the financial statement. Added to the \$3,824.30 which was on hand, the school had \$57,102.31 to work on for the school year. Total expenditures for the entire year were \$56,697.17, leaving a balance on hand of \$445.14. According to Secretary Milnes, the Board has, however, outstanding obligations of approximately \$1,500, thus leaving the School District in the red for the year's operation.

Congress Considers New Armistice Day

Congress now has a bill under consideration that would designate August 14 the "Armistice Day of World War II".

In line with this proposed legislation and at the request of the American Legion, Governor Harry F. Kelly is now preparing a proclamation that will proclaim August 14 as a public holiday in Michigan this year.

As a fitting observance of the first anniversary of V-J Day, all American Legion posts in the state are now planning a "Welcome Home" day for World War II veterans on that date. Community and civic groups in every locality will be asked to cooperate in holding suitable programs to mark the conclusion of the greatest war in history, and to honor the men and women who wore the uniform.

Verlinde-Cram Vows Spoken In Flint



Mr. and Mrs. James Harry Cram are on their honeymoon to Detroit, Chicago and Kalamazoo. The bride was Helen J. Verlinde of Maple Forest, formerly of Flint, before she spoke her vows on June 22.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Verlinde of Maple Forest and the bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Cram of Frederic, Mich. The Rev. Ralph W. Lindsay read the ceremony in the parsonage of Parkland Presbyterian Church, Flint, Michigan.

The bride wore a smart two-piece frock of pale pink with a corsage of roses and snapdragons. A veil was attached to her Mary Queen of Scots bonnet. Mr. and Mrs. William Middleton of Flint were the attendants. A small reception was given by the bride's cousin, Dolly Hulett, at 720 Cornelia, Flint, following the service.

The bridegroom may enroll in college in Kalamazoo, and in that case they will reside in that city.

Pvt. Burton S. Peterson is in the Philippines and was in Manila for their Independence Day. His address is ASN 16178203 4 Platoon, Btry C, 743rd AAA, Gun Bn (M) APO 600-2, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco, Calif.

The Dickens family of Foster, Ohio, are spending the summer at their Lake Margrethe cottage.

The young couple left for a short trip in eastern Michigan. They will live in Midland where the groom is employed at the Dow Chemical Company.

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WANT ADS

TELEPHONE 3111

RATES—Advertisements in this department cost 25 cents for 25 words or less for each insertion. For more than 25 words one cent a word for each insertion. Rates for display advertising in the classified columns on application. Orders by mail should be accompanied by cash or postage stamps. An extra charge of 10c will be made for blind ads and if it is necessary to bill for an advertisement that has been charged.

The Want Ad Department closes for each week's edition at NOON on Wednesday.

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TIMBERLANDS, INC. offers Land for Sale—5-acre tracts, 165 ft. frontage on M-72; five miles east of Grayling; \$250.00 each. Also some larger tracts for sale. Inquire Clara Madson, Mgr., Timberlands. 27-4

NOTICE—Builder and decorator, general contracting, carpenter, paper hanger, painter, roofing and side wall. For prompt service, drop card to Ernest J. Moulton, Box 231, Route 1, Roscommon. 5-21 tf

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SEWING MACHINES repaired, all makes. Will be in Grayling every Wednesday. Write Lee Chambers, 302 Stinson St., Cadillac, Mich. Singer Distributor. 20-27-4-11

DR. TINKER, OPTOMETRIST TRAVELING CITY, MICHIGAN I will be in Grayling, Friday and Saturday evening, July 12th, 1946. Offices over Guggisberg's Store, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Eyes examined and glasses prescribed. Call Phone 149M, Grayling, for appointment. 21 tf

WANTED—Stones hauled. House that Jack Built, Bear Lake. 4-11

FOR SALE—Lake front lots, house logs all lengths, lumber and cedar posts. D. J. Worthey, Horseshoe Lake, near Fred-eric. Mar 28-4

SLAB WOOD for Sale—Approximately 4 cords, \$10.00 per cord. Phone 4438. Stanley Madson. 5-16-4

FOR SALE—4-room house on 100 ft. lot in Lovells Twp. W. H. Andrews, Star Route. 4-11

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FOR SALE—16-foot clinker boat, 32-volt Delco lighting plant, and rustic table. Inquire of D. Manier, 1 block north Giegler's Resort, Otsego Lake, Michigan. 11-18

FOR SALE—Household Articles—Rustic bedstead, springs, mattresses, leather chair, commode, wringer on standard, kerosene cook stove, pressure cooker, Aladdin and oil lamps, dishes and many other articles. First trail on right past Hatchery, 2nd cabin on right. Follow the "Lantz" signs. 11

LOST—Leather toilet kit; filled gallon thermos jug with 2 aluminum containers; hatchet in case; one-leaf pan containing camp silver. Left on Manistee River at M-72. Please return express collect to Miss Frieda I. Schwartz, 211 E. Onoto St., Munising, Michigan. 11

WANTED—Small ice box. Call 3111.

FOR SALE—Two sets over-night cabins, also lake front cottage on Lake Margrethe. O. P. Schumann, Grayling; Dial 3121. tf

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,
That pursuant to the provisions
of Section 131 of Act 206, P. S. A.
1893, as amended, state lands in
Crawford County will be placed
on the market by offering same
for sale at public auction Tues-
day, July 30, 1946, at ten o'clock
in the forenoon, Eastern Standard
Time, in the County Court House,
West Branch, Michigan.
Pursuant to statutes, deeds con-
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son (former owner) who at the
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the expiration of thirty days, or
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Further particulars and list of
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IN CHANCERY
RUTH O. HELTZEL Plaintiff
VS
WARREN L. HELTZEL Defendant
Suit pending in the Circuit
Court for the County of Craw-
ford, in Chancery, on the 6th day
of July, 1946.
In the above entitled cause it
appearing that the defendant,
Warren L. Helzel's present ad-
dress or whereabouts is unknown,
and that it cannot be ascertained
in what state or country he re-
sides, on motion of Charles E.
Moore, attorney for plaintiff,
It is ordered that the defendant
enter his appearance in said cause
on or about three months from
the date of this order, and that
within forty days the plaintiff
cause this order to be published
in the Crawford Avalanche, a
newspaper published and circu-
lated within said county, said
publication to be continued once
each week for six weeks in suc-
cession.
John C. Shaffer,
Circuit Judge.

A true copy.
E. J. Scher,
Clerk of the Court.
11-18-25-1-8-15

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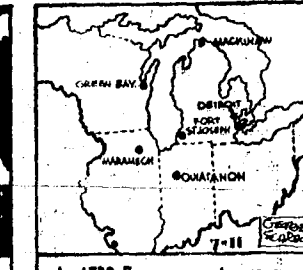
June 5, 1728: 450 Frenchmen
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reached Green Bay.



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few prisoners.



In 1730 Fox remnants were
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son Larry of Muskegon spent a
week here.
Mr and Mrs Roy Miles, Mr and
Mrs Harry Medendorp and Mr
and Mrs Don Dahlem, all of Mus-
kegon, spent a week here.
Mr and Mrs J. M. Candler of
Grosse Pointe spent several days
here.
Mr H. Mahaffy and Mr Kelly of
Detroit called Saturday.
Mr and Mrs E. J. Lellegren of
Pontiac were here over the week-
end.
Mr and Mrs O. K. Batzloff and
children of Pontiac were guests
for a week.
Mr and Mrs Stanley Hayes and
Mr and Mrs Albert Prince of
Grand Rapids were over night
guests.
Mr and Mrs Frank Hines and
two daughters and Mr Griffith of
Midland were week-end guests.
Mr and Mrs Paul Jones spent
the Fourth at their cottage.
Frank Hansenburg of Lake Lee-
lanau and Mr and Mrs Dennis
Kirt spent the 4th at the for-
mer's cabin, 'Klondike'.
Mr and Mrs Evert Kircher of
Detroit spent a week here and
made many nice catches of trout.
J. Dewitt and two sons, John
and Cal, of Detroit, are here for
several days.
Mr and Mrs R. Fairbanks and
Don and Erna Nickles of Detroit
spent the weekend at their cot-
tage, 'Northland'.
Mr and Mrs J. P. Jones, son Don
and Miss Pat Schnellings, of
Grand Rapids, were here fishing
for several days.
Thane Hildershot was a guest
at the Peterson cabin, 'Cedar
Crest' over Sunday.
O. P. Schumann was here on
business one day this week.
R. J. Crickmore of Flint called
on Fred Bromwell, Saturday.
Al Smith of Detroit called Sat-
urday.

HOW TO KEEP YOUR PETS HAPPY
Too few owners understand the
technique of making pets content-
ed in human surroundings. An
illustrated article by George Wal-
son Little, doctor of veterinary
medicine, in The American Week-
ly with this Sunday's (July 14)
Detroit Times, dramatizes the
fascinating possibilities whereby
you can find greater enjoyment
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Times.

Churches

SCHEDULE OF MASSES, ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
Summer Schedule of Masses at
St. Mary's Church:
Sundays: 6:30; 8:30; 10:30 and
11:30 A. M.
Holydays: 6:00 and 9:00 A. M.
First Fridays: 7:30 A. M.

MICHELSON MEMORIAL CHURCH
Sunday Services
7:30 P. M.
11:00 A. M.—Public worship.
Join us in these helpful meet-
ings.
Public is invited.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
Chestnut St. and US-27
Sunday Services
10:00 A. M.—Sunday School.
11:15 A. M.—Morning Service.
6:45 P. M.—Young People.
7:30 P. M.—Evening Service.

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Battle At Menominee

Midweek Services
Thursday—
7:30 P. M.—Prayer and Every-
body's Bible Class.
Pastor, F. D. Barnes.

FREDERIC BIBLE CHURCH
Sunday School at 9:30
Church services at 10:30 A. M.
7:30 P. M.—Evening Services.
Prayer meeting Wednesday at
7:30 P. M.
Services at Excelsior Church
Sunday at 11:30 A. M.
Rev. C. I. Opitz, Pastor.

GRAYLING EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH
English Sunday Services.
9:45 A. M.—Sunday School.
11 A. M.—Worship.
Everyone is welcome.
Svend Holm, Pastor.

FREE METHODIST CHURCH
Corner Shellburg's and State
Sunday Services
Sunday School—10:00 a. m.
Sermon—11: a. m.

Evening Worship—7:30 p. m.
Friday—7:30 p. m.

Come and worship with us.
Bertha Davis, Pastor.

Attention Customers!
Our Prices Haven't Changed
We will keep our O.P.A.
Ceiling Prices
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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE GRAYLING STATE SAVINGS BANK

ASSETS	Dollars	Cts.
Loans and discounts (including \$153.48 overdrafts).....	\$ 283,020.11	
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed.....	1,021,255.32	
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection.....	360,005.05	
Bank premises owned.....	None	
Furniture and fixtures.....	1.00	
TOTAL ASSETS	\$1,664,281.48	

LIABILITIES	Dollars	Cts.
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations.....	\$ 822,797.68	
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations.....	579,025.17	
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings).....	1,594.55	
Deposits of States and political subdivisions.....	171,494.72	
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.).....	407.00	
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$1,575,319.12	
Other liabilities.....	8,067.15	
Total Liabilities (not including subordinated obligations shown below)	\$1,583,386.27	

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	Dollars	Cts.
Capital.....	25,000.00	
Surplus.....	40,000.00	
Undivided profits.....	5,895.21	
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital).....	10,000.00	
Total Capital Accounts	80,895.21	
Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	\$1,664,281.48	

This bank's capital consists of \$..... of capital notes and debentures; first preferred stock with total par value of \$..... total retireable value \$.....; second preferred stock with total par value of \$..... total retireable value \$.....; and common stock with total par value of \$25,000.00.

MEMORANDA	Dollars	Cts.
Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):		
(a) U. S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities.....	\$ 15,000.00	
Total	\$ 15,000.00	
Secured and preferred liabilities:		
Total	None	
Subordinated obligations:		
(a) Unpaid dividends on preferred stock and unpaid interest on capital notes and debentures, accrued to end of last dividend or interest period, not included in liabilities or reserves above.....	None	
(b) Other obligations not included in liabilities which are subordinated to claims of depositors and other creditors.....	None	
Deposits of the State of Michigan (included in item 16).....	19,419.57	

I, Margrethe Nielsen, Cashier, of the above-named bank do solemnly affirm that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest:
Margrethe Nielsen,
Wilhelm Raue
Esbern Hanson,
John Bruun,
Directors.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF CRAWFORD, ss:
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 5th day of July, 1946, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.
Olga Nielsen, Notary Public.
My commission expires Nov. 12, 1949.

CRAWFORD AVALANCHE

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Grayling, Michigan, Thursday, July 11, 1946.

Now Is The Time . . .

Price control is gone. It had to be sometime, whether now or later. However, people are disgusted with the lack of food, clothing and other necessities. As long as a Washington administration told us that it was short because "the boys over there" needed it, it was okay with us.

You can get no answer today except a lot of bureaucratic mumbling, a sing-song chatter which adds up to nothing, to your question about why this or that is short.

A big change is needed in Washington. The New Deal is run down, it is old and decrepit. However, the Republican party must shed some of its old "mossbacks" and "die-hards" before it can consider itself a young and virile party. The American people are demanding a change, but not from one worn-out group to another. They want a young, strong and PROGRESSIVE party. Maybe the days of 1913 are with us again. Maybe we need a third party, a progressive party.

At least, if the vote of Michigan Republicans is any guide, you can honestly say that the American people want an honest administration that does something instead of giving a lot of excuses.

Our idea of a good, strong and sound national Republican party would include men like Arthur Vandenberg of Michigan, Earl Warren of California and Harold Stassen of Wisconsin at the helm. The American people, as a whole, still distrust Republican Senators or Representatives who fight administration bills just because they are sponsored by another party. It's time for every good man to come to the aid of his country, not party. R. W. S.

PROGRAM

RIALTO THEATRE Grayling, Michigan

Fri. and Sat. Evenings (only) July 12-13

(Saturday Show Continuous From 6:00 P. M.)

: Huge Double Feature Program :

No. 1—ROY ROGERS
IN

"Rainbow Over Texas"

No. 2—William Gargan & Janis Carter
IN

"Night Editor"

Color Cartoon Late News

Sunday-Monday { Sunday Show Continuous } July 14
From 2:00 P. M. July 15MYRNA LOY & DON AMECHE
IN

"SO GOES MY LOVE"

Color Cartoon: Sportfilm: Late News:

Tuesday-Wednesday- July 16-17
Thursday (Eves. Only) and 18CHARLES BOYER & JENNIFER JONES
IN

"CLUNY BROWN"

Color Cartoon: Sportfilm:

Programs are subject to change

Interesting Events In
Grayling 23 Years AgoINTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE
FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

JULY 12, 1923

The marriage of Miss Mildred Wilbur, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Wilbur, and Gardner Crawford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Crawford, took place Saturday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents in Lansing.

The following are on the committee for the Chautauqua that is coming next week: Emil Giegling, chairman; C. W. Olsen, assistant chairman; Alfred Hanson, secretary and treasurer. Publicity—O. P. Schumann, chairman; Lorene Sparkes, Holger Hanson, A. J. Joseph and Carl W. Peterson, Grounds and Arrangements—Fred B. Welsh, chairman; M. A. Bates, T. P. Peterson, C. M. Morfit and John Bruun. Tickets, Grayling Post of American Legion.

The home of Glen Owen and family on Ionia street, near the Danish gymnasium, was totally destroyed by fire Sunday night. The family has been in Detroit since school was out and just how the fire started is a mystery. An alarm was turned in by neighbors, Ben Yoder was at the switchboard in the telephone office. When the water was turned on it was found that the pressure was so low that the efforts of the firemen accomplished little. The hose would only throw a stream five feet high.

Clarence Johnson, who is pitching for East Jordan again—this season, is spending the week visiting at his home here.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter LaMotte, a daughter. She is called Earline Frances.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Homer Annis, a daughter. Mrs. Annis was formerly Miss Frances Papendick.

W. H. Cody, W. H. Keitzeb and David Montour left Sunday for a week's camping trip on the Manistee River.

Four young men, Ernest and Fred Hoesli, Ernest Jorgenson and Charles Isenbauer started Monday morning on a trip down the AuSable, expecting to go to its mouth, where the river runs into Lake Huron. They will visit at points along Lake Huron, at Linwood, visiting the Hoesli boys' grandfather, Mr. Blondin.

Clarence Robertson left for Detroit Sunday night, where he expects to be employed.

W. P. Evans, for several years with the Northern Auto Co., located at East Jordan, came to Grayling and is assisting George Burke in the management of the Burke Garage.

Miss Virginia Hanson of Los Angeles, Calif., arrived in Grayling Monday to spend a few weeks visiting her father, T. W. Hanson at Lake Margrethe. She was accompanied on her long journey by her uncle, Carlton Melstrup, who is visiting old friends here. Miss Virginia's little friends are enjoying her visit quite as much as she is.

At a regular meeting of the Village Council held at the Court House Monday night of this week the matter of a new or improved waterworks system was discussed.

PETE SAYS

SOME PEOPLE ARE FOREVER
PUTTING THEMSELVES ON A
LIMB AND THEN SAWING IT
OFF.

PETE ALSO SAYS:

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Grayling, July 1. at Mercy Hospital.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ogden of Wolverine, July 1, at Mercy Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Melbacker of Johannesburg have a new baby girl, born July 2 at Mercy Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cobb of Carp Lake have a new little son born July 3 at Mercy Hospital.

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VITALITY.Hunter's
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BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred (Bud) Sorenson announce the arrival of a baby daughter on June 28. She will be called Marcia Ann.

Mr. and Mrs. James Woodruff of Kalkaska are happy over the birth of a son on June 28.

A little boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Orren Krause of Mancelona at Mercy Hospital, June 29. June 29 will be celebrated as the birthday of the little boy born to Mr. and Mrs. Fenton Willman of Elmira.

Twin boys were born to Mr. and Mrs. Albert O'Bonsawin of

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YOU don't know him — you never will. He's a government doctor — created by Title II of the Wagner-Murray-Dingell Bill. He's paid by the government, supported by new taxes. He works for the government . . . not for you. He works on a forty hour week, time and a half for overtime. He is interested in who can help him politically — not in whom he can help medically.

The Wagner-Murray-Dingell Bill, currently being studied by the U. S. Senate Committee on Education and Labor, encourages the progressive doctor to become a lazy doctor. It gives him an assured income as long as he doesn't take any chances. Political medicine penalizes the active, hard-working, daring doctor by paying a premium for mediocrity — ask any veteran, or one of the returned doctors who has been practicing state medicine for the past three or four years.

Voluntary non-profit hospital and medical care plans are available now. Over 40,000,000 people are protected today . . . more tomorrow.

Think! Write! Urge your congressman to vote "No" on the Wagner-Murray-Dingell Bill.

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SUPERVISORS' PROCEEDINGS

JUNE SESSION, 1946

Meeting of the Board of Supervisors for the County of Crawford held at the Court House in the City of Grayling on the 24th day of June, A.D. 1946.

Meeting was called to order by the chairman, Sydney A. Dyer. Roll was called, all members answering present.

Beaver Creek Township—Frank Millikin, Supervisor
Frederic Township—Ray Murphy, Supervisor
Grayling Township—Leo Isenbauer, Supervisor
Lovells Township—Austin J. Scott, Supervisor

Maple Forest Township—Archie Howse, Supervisor
South Branch Township—Sydney A. Dyer, Supervisor
City of Grayling—George Burke, Supervisor
Edwin Carlson, Supervisor

Moved by Millikin and supported by Isenbauer that the several tax rolls be placed in the hands of the committee on equalization. All members voting yea, motion carried.

The Board proceeded to foot the tax rolls.

Mrs. Welsh and Mrs. Pearl Not appeared before the Board to discuss the renewal of lease on Infirmary and other welfare matters.

Moved by Scott and supported by Carlson that we adjourn until Tuesday, June 26th, 1946. All members voting yea, motion carried.

Bessie Doner, Clerk
Sydney A. Dyer, Chairman

Meeting of the Board of Supervisors for the County of Crawford held at the Court House in the City of Grayling on the 25th day of June, A.D. 1946.

Meeting was called to order by the chairman, Sydney A. Dyer. Roll was called, all members answering present.

Moved by Millikin and supported by Isenbauer that the several communications be placed in the hands of the Ways and Means Committee. All members voting yea, motion carried.

Moved by Howse and supported by Isenbauer that the claims and accounts be placed in the hands of the Claims and Accounts Committee. All members voting yea, motion carried.

Mr. Mason from the State Tax Commission before the Board and also Mr. Nicholson from the State Tax Commission appeared at the afternoon session.

Mr. Willard Harwood appeared before the Board and requested that some consideration be given to the proposition of leasing the County Infirmary to the Veterans of Foreign Wars as a recreational center for all approved County organizations.

The Chairman appointed a committee as follows: George Burke, Archie Howse, Ed Carlson and Frank Millikin to investigate the matter and report back to the Board at the next general meeting.

The Report of the Claims and Accounts Committee: State of Michigan } ss: The Board of Supervisors } for said County } Dated June 25th, 1946 } To the Honorable, the said Board of Supervisors:

Your Committee on Claims and Accounts would respectfully submit the following as their report and hereby recommend that several amounts scheduled herein be allowed, also that the Clerk of this Board be authorized to draw orders on the County Treasurer for the same.

Moved by Howse and supported by Isenbauer that the report of the Claims and Accounts Committee be accepted, approved and adopted. Roll called; Yea—Howse, Millikin, Burke, Scott, Murphy, Isenbauer, Carlson and Dyer. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Moved by Burke and supported by Millikin that the lease of Mrs. Della Welsh on the NE 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 17, T-26 N R-2 W, commonly known as the Crawford County Poor Farm be renewed until October 1, 1946; said lease may be terminated after said date on 30-day written notice served by the Board of Supervisors. All members voting yea, motion carried.

Moved by Carlson and supported by Burke that we adjourn until Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock. All members voting yea, motion carried.

Bessie Doner, Clerk
Sydney A. Dyer, Chairman

Meeting of the Board of Supervisors for the County of Crawford held at the Court House in the City of Grayling on the 26th day of June, A.D. 1946.

Meeting was called to order by the chairman, Sydney A. Dyer. Roll was called, all members answering present.

Moved by Isenbauer that the report of the Committee on Equalization be accepted, approved and adopted. Roll called; Yea—Isenbauer, Scott, Howse, Dyer—Yea; Burke and Carlson—Nay. The motion carried.

The Equalization report on next page.

Moved by Scott and supported by Howse that the Clerk be instructed to write the State Tax Commission for a ruling as to whether power transmission lines of a municipally owned power plant are taxable when lines serve users outside of the corporate limits. All members voting yea, motion carried.

The bills of the several Supervisors were allowed at this time.

Frank Millikin \$13.60
Sydney A. Dyer 23.40
Archie Howse 21.90
Ray Murphy 21.70
Edwin Carlson 18.00
Austin J. Scott 23.70
George Burke 18.00
Leo Isenbauer 18.45

Moved by Scott and supported by Carlson that we adjourn without date. All members voting yea, motion carried.

Bessie Doner, Clerk
Sydney A. Dyer, Chairman

Committee on Claims and Accounts.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON EQUALIZATION
State of Michigan — The Board of Supervisors for the County of Crawford
To the Honorable Board of Supervisors:

Your Committee on Equalization beg leave to report that they have examined the Assessment Rolls of the several townships of Crawford County for the year 1946 and have equalized the same as shown by the following tabulated statement, to-wit:

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100-Pe

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Total of Assessed Value

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Resolutions from the following: Dickinson County Board of Supervisors, Isabella County Board of Supervisors, Michigan Department of Health, Independent Land Owners Association, Barry County Board of Supervisors, and Gogebic County Board of Supervisors.

Respectfully submitted, Archie Howse, George Burke, Leo Isenbauer, Committee on Ways and Means.

Moved by Carlson and supported by Scott that the report of the Ways and Means Committee be accepted, approved and adopted. All members voting yea, motion carried.

The Chairman appointed George Burke, Ray Murphy and Archie Howse as delegates to the Social Welfare Convention to be held at Sault Ste. Marie September 17, 18 and 19.

Moved by Scott and supported by Burke that an additional appropriation of \$25.00 be granted the American Legion for the decoration of Veterans' graves in the County. Roll called; Yea—Scott, Burke, Murphy, Howse, Carlson, Isenbauer and Dyer. Nays: None; the motion carried.

Moved by Burke and supported by Carlson that we appropriate the sum of \$200 for the Cemetery Fund—Yea—Burke, Carlson, Murphy, Howse, Isenbauer and Dyer; Nays—Scott; Motion carried.

Moved by Murphy and supported by Isenbauer that the report of the Committee on Equalization be accepted, approved and adopted. Roll called; Murphy, Isenbauer, Scott, Howse, Dyer—Yea; Burke and Carlson—Nay. The motion carried.

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CHAPTER IV

It didn't make sense, it wasn't true. But all the time she knew it was true, Arthur was simply not there, muffled screams in the covers of the bed where they had slept together.

It was quite dark when her friend, Frances, knocked on the door. When Frances came in from work and the maid said she had not seen Elizabeth, Frances came up to her room.

Elizabeth did not hear the knock, so Frances opened the door, saying, "Elizabeth, are you here?" and then, "Why, what's the trouble?"

She switched on the light and ran to the bed.

Elizabeth managed to say, "Please leave me alone." Looking around in astonishment, Frances caught sight of the telegram which it had blown into a corner. She picked it up.

"Oh, my dear," she gasped. "Oh my dear." After a minute in which she could not say anything else, she asked, "Do you want me to call your aunt?"

"No!" cried Elizabeth. "Please go out. Please just let me alone." Frances hesitated, but being a sensible girl she only said, "You're going to catch flu in this cold room," and brought a blanket from the closet to throw over Elizabeth's tense body, and went out.

Elizabeth did not call up anybody that night, not even Aunt Grace, an omission which Aunt Grace never forgave her. For weeks afterward Aunt Grace could not think of this without exclaiming, "But I was just like a mother to the poor girl! She needed me. And just when she needed me most, she didn't call."

Aunt Grace loved to hover over people in distress. She could well believe that her dear niece had been grieving when she was told of her husband's death, but she was always sure that she herself had only been around to offer sympathy and a nice cup of tea.

She told all her friends how inconsiderately she had been treated, and after all she had done too.

Why, now it was all right to say that a previous telegram had come for Elizabeth saying Arthur was missing, and she had read it and torn it up, and hadn't told a soul except a few of her most intimate friends, all night, comforting her. But in when everything might turn out to have been all right. She had found it by the merest chance, or perhaps it would be more reverent to say Providence had guided her to it, one day when she dropped in and Elizabeth was still at the Red Cross.

While she was there a messenger had delivered the telegram, and she took it and had news she just opened it herself, wanting to break it gently, but when she found it said Arthur was missing she went home and didn't tell Elizabeth at all—now what could be kinder than that? If she had only been there to receive this second message! She would have told the dear child gradually, preparing her for the shock, and then she would have stayed with her all night, comforting her. But in spite of such affection, Elizabeth hadn't even let her know. It was hard. Not that she meant to complain, but it was hard.

Elizabeth had no use for her aunt's ministrations. She did not think of wanting anybody. Later, she was able to appreciate her friend's kindness in leaving her alone. But that night she was not capable of appreciating anything but the fact that she was alone and would remain so.

For the first few hours the pain stayed with her, blotting out everything except an occasional confused recollection of some minute of her life with Arthur—and then closing around her again like a red-hot shell. Then, slowly, she began remembering everything about him, not merely his strength and humor and gentleness, but the finest details of his appearance. A little unimportant word he had spoken to her, the way his eyes would catch hers across a crowded room and make her feel warm with his love. She remembered his splendid mind, the energy with which he went to work—why should the world want to destroy a man who had no purpose but to contribute to his happiness—and more than that, his eyes on her, his large, frank, "Oh, Elizabeth, why are you so bothered about it? Who are we to think anybody different from ourselves is wrong?"—and for herself, more even than all of these, their exquisite sense of unity. "Elizabeth, I couldn't say this to anybody but you; but you'll understand."

She had had so much with him. And yet she had had so little of it. Two years ago she had not known Arthur existed, and now she had lost him.

Her thoughts went back to the beginning. If she had only known him longer! She might have, if she had stayed in Tulsa, for Arthur had lived there several years before she met him. But her aunt and uncle had deprived her of those years by sending her away to school, though of course they had not known they were depriving her of anything and she had not known it either. She liked going to school much better than staying at home with them, for even in her early childhood she had comprehended that though they had a strong sense of duty they really did not know what to do with her. After fifteen years of childhood marriage they had hardly been prepared to welcome an orphaned baby left on their hands. Luckily her father's life insurance prevented her being a financial burden. So they provided her with a competent nurse until she was old enough to go to boarding school, and in the summers there

were always camps and other supervised vacations. It had all seemed a matter of course to her until the summer after her first year at college. She was spending a few weeks with her uncle and aunt before the date of an educational trip to Canada with a group of college girls, and one day she went to swim at the country club and met Arthur.

She went swimming alone, expecting that she would meet some acquaintance at the club, which was always full of people on Saturday afternoons. She was practicing a swan dive; she had already gone through it several times, but she liked to repeat it—standing poised in the sun high above the green stretch of water, the spring, the swift plunge down through the rush of air with her arms out like wings, and then at the right split-second bringing her arms together to cut the water and feeling it close around her, cold on her hot skin, and then up again into the warmth and brightness, so vigorous that she felt like crying out, "I'm alive, alive, and I love it!"

She went down into the water again and came up, pausing an instant to shake the drops out of her eyes before she struck out for the edge of the pool. Her face half submerged, she swam quickly. As her fingertips touched the edge she lifted her head and laughed from sheer joy of being healthy. She was not looking at anything when she put out her hand to raise herself out of the water, and was astonished to feel her fingertips closing on somebody's leg.

Elizabeth started back, about to make an apology. But before she could speak the young man had

grasped her arms and lifted her to the edge of the pool by him, and he was begging her, "There now, do it again!"

"What?" she exclaimed, moving back a step, but he insisted, "I've been watching you. Honestly, that's the most beautiful swan dive I ever saw—please—do it again!"

She looked up at him, and in that first moment she liked him because he looked just the way she felt—young, joyous, alive with an extraordinary vitality. He was instantly so vivid to her that Elizabeth exclaimed, "Do you often come here?"

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"I don't imagine you've ever been alone very much, have you?" she asked.

"Why no, I haven't. I always meet somebody."

"Have you been in Tulsa long?" asked Elizabeth.

"About three years."

"Where did you live before that?" "Chicago."

Elizabeth began to laugh again and said, "That's where you were born, isn't it?"

"Yes, how did you know?"

"Because people born in Chicago always call it Chicawgo, and everybody from other places call it Chicago. Why is that?"

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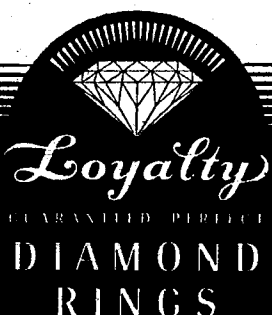
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LOCALS

Mr and Mrs George W Weidner and daughters, Nancy Jane and Brenda Ann, of Blanchester, O., and Mr and Mrs Tom J Meredith of Union City, Indiana, were the week-end guests of Mr and Mrs Roy B Conkling Sr, of Park St. George, Tom and Roy B did quite a bit of fishing—only the fish were mostly somewhere else or so Tom said.



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The Arthur Corwin family spent the Fourth of July with his father, Chas Corwin, and sister and family, the De Alton Griffiths.

Other guests were the Charles Corwin family of Saginaw, who also visited Mrs Corwin's people, Mr and Mrs Carl Larson, Everett Corwin of Flint spent the week-end, and his daughter Dorothy, who had been spending the week, returned with him to spend the rest of the summer at the Corwin farm.

FOOD to enthrall over. Bob's Black Bear Inn, 7 miles south of Grayling on US-27.

Mr and Mrs Harry Hedrick of Flint are spending ten days at their Lake Margrethe cottage.

Mr and Mrs William Nawatny had as their guests for several days last week, Dr and Mrs L A Walker of Battle Creek. The group enjoyed a trip down-river, July 4. Mr Nawatny's brother, Louis F, was also a guest last week.

Mr and Mrs Schuyler Marshall of St Johns have purchased the Beeman cabin on the main stream and plan to spend the summer. Mr Marshall, former owner-publisher of the Clinton County Republican News, is a member of the State Public Utility Commission.

Mrs Ray Czachorski and daughters, Shirley and Barbara, of Flint, are spending the summer at their Lake Margrethe cottage. Mr Czachorski is spending some time with them before returning to his work in Flint.

Corporal Eugene Corwin is spending a furlough at his father's home and will return to Camp Atterbury, Indiana, July 12.

Mr and Mrs Chris Frieberg of Gaylord called on the Carl W Johnsons at White Birchess, Sunday. Other callers were Mrs Johnson's nephew, M M Trevegn, wife and kiddies, of Lansing. Try our chicken and biscuits.

BOB'S BLACK BEAR INN. You fishermen had better ask your Jerry McClain what kind of bait he is using. He caught a 10 1/2-pound pike this week, measuring 37 inches in length, as well as several good sized ones. The biggest sized trout he has

caught so far weighed 5 1/2 lb. The pike were caught in Lake Margrethe.

Senior Aid of Michelson Memorial Church will have a pot-luck luncheon at the cottage of Mrs Oscar Hanson at Lake Margrethe July 12 at 1:00.

Mr and Mrs Seymour Bailey have purchased the residence of Mrs Mary Barber at the corner of Park and Plum Sts., and will make their home there in the near future.

News has been received here that the Penton, Ottis are now at Priest River, Idaho.

Mr and Mrs Tom Robertson and family spent the 4th of July week-end visiting Mr Robertson's parents, Mr and Mrs John Robertson; the children remained to visit for a week.

James Connor of L'Anse, Michigan, is spending a week here, the guest of Mr and Mrs Wesley Kumpula.

We serve setups. BOB'S BLACK BEAR INN.

Mr and Mrs Thomas Rikard and Mrs Marie Olsen of Ann Arbor are here to spend the summer at Danish Landing.

Everett Bidvia is home from Mt Pleasant to spend the summer with his parents, Mr and Mrs Herman Bidvia, of Lansing.

Bidvia home for the week-end of the Fourth were Mr and Mrs Cecil Speight, Ann and Edith Bidvia and Betty Keppen, all of Detroit.

Mr and Mrs Walter Confer and the latter's mother, Mrs Sherman Neal, left Saturday to attend the funeral of Mrs Ace Monroe of Ulysses, Pennsylvania. Mrs Hattie Mosher accompanied them as far as Niagara Falls to visit her son, Harry Mosher, wife and family.

Mr and Mrs H M Opland, with Ralph and Miss Nina, of Detroit, are spending the summer at their cabin down-river. Miss Mary Anne Stryker, also of Detroit, is their guest for two weeks.

Mr and Mrs William Fletcher and family of Detroit spent some time last week at the A E Michelson cottage at Lake Margrethe.

Mr and Mrs Dewey Horning of Northville spent the week-end as guests of Mr and Mrs Harold Cliff at their cottage, Oak Mere.

Mr and Mrs Russell Bradley of Ann Arbor were the week-end guests of Mrs Helen Rottier and son Ralph and Miss Margrethe Bauman at Lake Margrethe.

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Miss Sally Carr of Toledo, O., left Monday after spending a week as guest of Dennis Day at the home of his parents, Mr and Mrs Glen Day, down-river.

Mrs Jack Dibble (Virginia Day) left Monday for Lansing and Delores Damer and children will return with her to Grayling to spend a week or so.

Mr and Mrs Leo Witham and family and Mr and Mrs B Eldred and family, of Detroit, have been spending two weeks at the John Brady cottage at Eagle Point. They had as their guests Mr and Mrs John Tobin of Detroit while here. Miss Jean Brady of Detroit is spending a week's vacation with her parents, Mr and Mrs John Brady.

Mr and Mrs Leland Marshall and children visited their mother Mrs Martha Marshall in East Tawas.

Billy Sorenson was the guest of Phyllis Newell at East Tawas. Owing to extreme homesickness, Miss Marjorie Stanchfield was forced to resign her position at Tawas Beach and return to her home.

Mr and Mrs John Selesky and family spent Sunday visiting her mother Mrs Minnie Hartley, at Tawas Beach Club. George Akers of Detroit spent the week-end with his father, Perry Akers, and sister, Miss Fern.

Mr Lucille Wakeley is the new young lady employed at the Burrows Market.

Louis Kraus was home from Fort Custer to spend the week-end at his parental home. He had as his guest Miss Jean Roberts of Flushing.

Mr and Mrs Don Fitzpatrick and children spent the week-end at the Emil Kraus home.

A. Misko, former Grayling teacher, spent a few days here last week.

Halford Kittleman has returned to Chicago after spending the week-end with his family at Lake Margrethe.

Mr and Mrs Frank Schumann and Mr and Mrs Harry Bubb, all of Los Angeles, Calif., arrived here Monday to visit the former's brother, Oscar Schumann, and family, and to enjoy a couple of weeks at Higgins Lake, also to visit other relatives in Michigan.

Dr and Mrs Eugene Mullen of Argus, Calif., were guests at the A M Lewis home at Lake Margrethe a few days last week. Mrs Mullen is a sister of Mrs Lewis. Dr Mullen is superintendent of the state hospitals in California. He was a boyhood companion of Oscar Schumann, in Hastings, Michigan, their homes adjoining.

Other guests of Mr and Mrs H Opland are Byron Botkin and Bob Grider of Detroit.

Mrs J E Bugby and daughter Jane went to Rogers City, Monday, to visit Mr Bugby aboard the Steamer Pargy which was docked there. Fred Niederer accompanied them to see his son, Dick, also a member of the Pargy crew.

MICHIGAN MIRROR

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Yale's famous William Lyon Phelps, who used to preach from the "Visible Church in the Invisible Town" every Sunday morning. Across from the Phelps home and church was his private golf course. Mr Phelps died in August, 1943.

At the very tip of the Thumb is a resort settlement known as Pointe Aux Barques. The government maintains a lighthouse and coast guard station here. Nearby is Grindstone City where 100 years ago abrasive stones were quarried.

Port Austin has a fine county park from which unusual geological formations of rock may be viewed. It was first visited in 1837 by a fugitive of the Canadian Patriotic war who hid in a cave on the shore. Port Austin is one of the few places to claim the distinction of being able to see sunrises and sunsets over the water.

Continuing around the shore drive you come to Huron State Park, comprising 245 acres along Lake Huron. At the mouth of Pigeon River is Caseville, once a terminal for lake and rail shipping but today a picturesque resort village.

The county seat of Huron County is Bad Axe, which name inspired pranksters, prior to post office ruling, to address letters with a sketch of a broken axe on the envelope. Surveyors in 1880 are said to have found a broken axe on the site; hence the unusual name. In the Bad Axe city park is an old log schoolhouse, a relic of pioneer days.

North Seward is Bay Port on Wild Powl Bay. Bay Port is a fishing town. At Seward (Indiana for "by the creek") is a beet sugar refinery, a brewery and other industries. To the south is Emmett, a typical German settlement.

In the interior of the Thumb and hence not on the shore scenic road are a number of progressive shopping centers. Use your highway map as reference.

We were surprised to hear that Huron County, for example, possesses more shoreline than any other county in Michigan. It offers eight county parks, a state park, 2 municipal parks and two state highway roadside parks—most of them located along the shores of Lake Huron and Saginaw Bay.

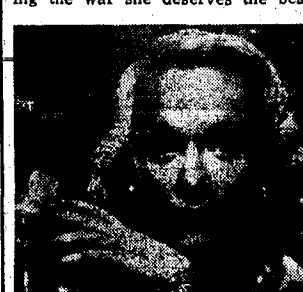
For an interesting week-end this summer, why not visit the Thumb. You'll find the trip delightful.



STAGE-SCREEN-RADIO
Released by Western Newspaper Union.

By VIRGINIA VALE

MARLENE DIETRICH'S first postwar American film is going to be something special; Paramount's giving her Ray Milland as her co-star in "Golden Earrings," and Mitchell Leisen will direct. After doing such a really swell job entertaining servicemen during the war she deserves the best they can offer. She arrives here from France some time between July 25 and August 1, according to the present schedule, after making a picture in France. "Golden Earrings" is a picturization of the new novel by Yolanda Foldes.



MARLENE DIETRICH

Edward G. Robinson began work in "No Trespassing" by simulating the wearing of a wooden leg. Then

all need for pretense vanished; he collied with a tool chest in his own garage, and the right knee had to be encased in a stiff surgeon's boot.

Ann Dvorak, who plays opposite George Sanders in the Loew-Lewin "Bel Ami," is an accredited foreign correspondent for the London Daily Illustrated. Rounding out her experience, she's playing a newspaper man's wife in the picture.

We're told that Rickey Jordan, who hails from New Orleans, is the slugging discovery of the year. He'll make his picture debut in RKO's "Beat the Band," supporting Frances Langford and Philip Terry, with Gene Krupa, Ralph Edwards and Jane Clayworth.

A weather report guaranteed high waves and huge seas when Bette Davis and her film crew went to Laguna Beach for scenes in "A Stolen Life," of which she's producer as well as star. After three breezless days, they returned to Warner Bros' studio and did the storm sequences on huge stage 21, where there's an ersatz ocean. Then Bette went to Laguna for a rest—and it stormed for three days!

John Wayne did something different when he transplanted the company of "The Angel and the Outlaw" to Sedona, Ariz., by plane. There were 150 of them, and after five weeks on location they flew back, hale and hearty. Gail Russell is co-starred in the picture with Wayne, who is also producing it. Wayne's probably started something; look for other Hollywoodites to follow suit.

At Republic they're testing young opera singers to find a girl to play opposite Nelson Eddy in "Russian River," the Rudolph Friml opera which is his first picture at that studio. The girl must be photogenic, a good singer and a good actress.

Gene Autry's at work at Republic on his first film since he was released from the army air corps. It's "Sioux City Sue," and will feature the music of the Cass County Boys, who have been heard with Autry on his air shows. Lynne Roberts plays opposite him.

Professor Quiz, having at least one serviceman on his Thursday night air show, makes sure that a G.I. gets a chance to win that \$500. At least once a week he stages his famous battle of wits at a veterans' hospital. The winner of that show is brought to the ABC studios, and automatically advanced to the final round when the regular show is broadcast.

There's been extensive celebrating among Buddy Clark's fans since he's out of the army and on the air as singing star and emcee of "The Contented Hour." Movie fans remember him in "Seven Days Leave" and "Wake Up and Live"; radio listeners recall him on "Musical America" as star of "The Hit Parade" for three years, and for appearances with Ben Bernie, Freddie Rich and Benny Goodman.

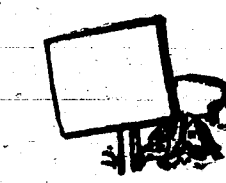
ODDS AND ENDS—In many towns social success is measured by how well you can imitate Tom Breneman in doing a version of "Breakfast in Hollywood." Tommy Riggs' childhood ambitions were to be an aviator and athlete—so he played quarterback on

Brown university's varsity squad and became a licensed pilot. . . . Since Republic's Wild Bill Elliott has been switched to dramatic starring roles he's dropped the "Wild." Leopold Stokowski has arranged with David Rose to play a new symphony arrangement of Rose's "Holiday for Strings," a his song and dance of his CBS show, at a concert at Hollywood Bowl on July 28.

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LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Preston are spending some time at their Lake Margrethe cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dague of Galveston, Indiana, are happy to announce the birth of a daughter, Susan, born July 3. The little lady tipped the scales at eight pounds three ounces. The many friends made by the Dagues during their time of residence here wish them heartiest congratulations.

S. J. Howard DeLaMater received his discharge at Great Lakes Naval Separation Center, and arrived home Saturday. He had been stationed at Little Creek, Virginia, with the U. S. Amphibious Forces. He is employed for the summer by Leland Marshall and has been accepted by the University of Michigan for school in the fall. Howard is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben DeLaMater.

Mrs. G. D. Vallad, sons Norman and Russell, niece Betty Clark, and Miss Ione Lett attended the funeral Monday of Mrs. Vallad's nephew, Ed Vallad, in Onsted, Michigan. Guest of Miss Clark for the week-end was Marvin Hake of Lansing.

Mrs. Ann Dobbins left for her home at Pine Lake, Wednesday, after spending ten days as the guest of her sister and husband, Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Keyport. Holger Peterson of Detroit was home to spend the week-end with his family. Philip Kearny of Cleveland is spending ten days visiting the Peterson family and his children, Tommy and Roseanne.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvi Pynnönen and daughter Helen, of Waukegan, Illinois, spent the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Anton Kangas. Mr. Pynnönen is the brother of Mrs. Kangas.

A. J. Joseph left Sunday for Detroit to attend the apparel show and Mr. Joseph and Miss Mary Jane drove down Wednesday to get her.

Captain Leonard Knibbs is leaving Friday for his post at Kearns, Utah, after spending two weeks' leave as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Joseph and daughter, Miss Mary Jane.

Several couples met for a pot-luck dinner at the Ray Clement home Tuesday evening in celebration of Mrs. Clement's birthday.

Miss Mary Jane Joseph and Mr. and Mrs. William Joseph of Lansing entertained 20 guests at a buffet supper at their parental home Saturday evening.

Congratulations are in order for Miss Elizabeth Matson, who arrived Monday from Stockton, California, to spend the summer with her mother, Mrs. Elmer Matson. She was given a promotion shortly before the end of the school year and is now Associate Professor of Physical Education at the College of the Pacific.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Matson, daughter Patricia and son Jerry, of Flint, arrived Monday. Mrs. Matson and children are spending a week here.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew McGuire Jr. and cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Tomaszewski, of Flint, enjoyed the week-end at Shady Brook cabin on the AuSable.

Mr. William Christenson returned to Mackinaw after a two weeks vacation at her home in Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Edmonds Jr. and son, of Flint, spent the week-end with Mr. Edmonds' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Edmonds Sr., in Maple Street.

Donald Bovee of Plymouth was here to spend the week with his son and wife, the Robert Bovees. Mrs. Donald Bovee and daughter returned home with him.

Lee Prught of Dayton, Ohio, is spending the summer with the Otto Failing family.

Guests for the summer at the Leo Koerper home at Lake Margrethe are Mr. Koerper's mother, Mrs. Marie Koerper, and niece Marjorie, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ferry and son Jerry of Detroit were guests last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Osterlund of Brooklyn, N. Y. dropped in on Rev. and Mrs. Svend Holm, July 4th. The visit was a most welcome surprise.

Mrs. E. A. Jennings reports her callers as Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cimmer of Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Buckholds of Saginaw, the Jim Goe family, the Ray Maker family and Ed Goeke of Bay City. Mr. and Mrs. Bud Beckman of Pontiac and her mother, Mrs. Minnie Jones, the Claud Ladds of Detroit, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beckman and daughter of Birmingham.

Mrs. Richard Lovely entertained five little girls for dinner Tuesday evening in honor of her daughter Jean's eleventh birthday. They were joined later by five little boys and the group sang and danced.

Dick and Patty Clever of Detroit, who are staying at the Military Reservation, were the out of town guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Enos Jennings of Hazel Park are spending a couple of weeks with the former's mother, Mrs. E. A. Jennings.

Steven Jennings of Hazel Park spent a few days at his cabin in the woods with his mother, Mrs. Jennings, and his sister, Mrs. Joe Boksham, wife and little daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Len Stadel and daughter were his guests.

Mildred Hall spent the week-end with her children. He was called back to work on Tuesday.

Guests at the Weiss home during the past week were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Woods of West Virginia, Mr. and Mrs. Ed H. Weiss of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kresbach and son Tommy of Monroe, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Eden and children of Bay City, and Mr. and Mrs. James R. Weiss and daughter Ruth Ann of Hamazon.

Captain and Mrs. William Haydet returned to Grayling Tuesday after spending three weeks in Detroit and Buffalo.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl W. Johnson were hosts to about 20 guests for dinner at Windermere Lodge Monday evening in honor of Captain and Mrs. Clyde Borchers. The honored guests were presented with a white satin comforter and the best wishes of the group. They with their little son Billy expect to leave Saturday for Great Falls, Montana, where Captain Borchers will be stationed.

Doctors Keyport and Clippert, Wilhelm Base, Duke's Hotel and W. L. McClanahan are reported as the most recent donors to the City Cemetery Fund.

Lovells Notes
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property, formerly the Anderson place.

Mr. and Mrs. Coburn Spaulding visited a few days with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm Spaulding, at their home on the North Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Shoemaker of Coral Gables, Florida, are enjoying the summer weeks at the Shoemaker cottage on the North Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Pomeroy and son of Pontiac are enjoying a stay at their cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Boutell of Saginaw are at their cabins for a number of weeks, enjoying themselves away from the heat of the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Proulx and children of Walled Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Loftus and son Mike of Saginaw are visiting at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kellogg.

Babe White and nephew Paul, a friend, Christine Richardson, all of Northern Ohio, visited relatives in Lovells over the 4th.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Lamphier and new daughter visited a few days at the Robert Stocking home. Now it's Grandma and Grandpa. Congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Snyder of Detroit spent a short time visiting with the Fred Lee family.

Genevieve Sealey and friend, of Midland, visited friends in Lovells the last of the week.

The Ladies Club will meet with Lottie Kurchenko at Shupak Lake Wednesday afternoon, July 17. Five birthdays will be celebrated—those of Mildred Johnson, Fern Walser, Lottie Kurchenko, Rose Keeler and Margaret Husted.

The dance last week was well attended, and Saturday night will be another and remember, each Saturday evening, all welcome to come.

Betty Lee of Detroit spent a

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LOST—Bunch of keys. Reward if returned to Bill's Shoe Repair Shop on US-27.

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LOST—Brown leather wallet containing papers and money. Reward. Return to Wallace W. Skinner, Shoppengons Inn, Room 51, 11

FOR SALE—Baby buggy, 700 Elm st., corner Elm and Lake. Mrs. Joe Lennert. 11

few days with her parents, who have been vacationing in Lovells. A number of cottages and cabins are being put up on the different lots recently sold by Ross Skinner to different parties.

MAPLE FOREST NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bearss entertained friends over the 4th. Victor Parsons was home from his work for the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Parent and her father are at their home here for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schmidt of Milwaukee, Wis., and his mother of Grayling spent Wednesday evening at the Charles Owen home.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wilcox of Birmingham visited at the Arthur Howse home Friday and Saturday.

Among visitors at the W. Wood burn home were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wolverton of Fenton, and Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Mick of Ithaca. Mr. Mick will be superintendent of schools at Ithaca this year.

NaDean Plagens is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Ivan Hamblin, for an indefinite period.

Mr. H. B. Smith and son Clayton are at their home here for a week.

Charles Owen Sr. is working at Detroit. He was home over the 4th and had as his guests, Mr. and Mrs. Mays and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Parsons and son Victor spent the week-end at Rogers City.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Buxton of Johannesburg were the Sunday

guests of the Archie Howses. Mrs. Luella Manganone was a visitor at the Richard Babbitt home over the week-end.

The Sunday School has grown, so we now have a new class for intermediate scholars and the Bible class has a new teacher, Roy Papenfus.

Maurice Babbitt and Maxine Mason were married Sunday evening at the Methodist Church at Bellaire. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Babbitt and family and Mr. and Mrs. Archie Howse were among the guests.

Frederic News
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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Madill and family spent the Fourth in Bay City.

The Otis Weavers had a family picnic at Redhead Lake, Saturday. From Detroit were Miss Alma Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. Chet Garver and children, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Miljure and baby; from here were Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Alma and children, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Weaver, Donald, Bob and Dick.

Miss Alma Weaver left Sunday to resume her work in Detroit, after a 2-weeks vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert MacGregor of Chicago spent the Fourth with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Dunckley.

Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Weaver returned to their home in Buchanan, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rowell, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Thompson, of Lansing, spent Sunday with the former's mother, Mrs. Harry Horton, who is still sick in bed.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hyde spent the Fourth with the latter's brother, Kenneth Burkhardt. Bring-

ing along their motion picture machine, they had some very nice pictures as well as comedy.

The 4-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gabriel passed away last Saturday afternoon at Grayling Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Tenant and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tenant and daughter Judy, of Bay City, visited the Albert and Charles Madills.

Mary Ellen Madill was in Bay City for the Fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wilcox of Birmingham spent the week-end in Frederic.

FREDERIC MOMS
At the first meeting in June, the following officers were elected: President, Ida Post; Vice-President, Emma Howse; Secretary, Abbie Madill; Treasurer, Grace Newberry; Chaplain, Ruby Hopkins.

At the second meeting \$50 was pledged for the greenhouse project at Battle Creek Hospital.

Mrs. R. Murphy has been made chairman of the MOMS Birthday Club. Each Mom will be given a gift and party in the month in

which their birthdays are. A pot-luck lunch was served and gifts presented to Mrs. Margaret Cor-saut and Mrs. Pearl Babbitt, two retiring officers.

Next meeting July 18, at the Town Hall.
Abbie Madill, Secy.

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STEWING FOWL	lb.	39¢

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WHITE LIQUID SHINOLA bot. 10¢
ASSORTED FLAVORS FLAVOR-AID 4-oz. 19¢
LEMON JUICE 1/2-gal. 9¢
SAUERKRAUT No. 2 1/2 15¢
IONA BEETS No. 2 can. 11¢
KITCHEN KRAFT PIMENTOS 1-oz. 19¢
SUNNYFIELD CORN FLAKES 11-oz. 8¢
IONA RICE CEMS 1/2-gal. 11¢

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NIGHT O'CLOCK COFFEE lb. bag 21¢
DONALD DUCK ORANGE JUICE 46-oz. can. 43¢
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